



New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection  
Division of Water Supply and Geoscience  
Bureau of Safe Drinking Water  
Do Not Drink Water Signage

The purpose of this document is to provide public water systems with approved optional signage that can be posted in addition to required Tier 1 public notification. For specific assistance with public notification requirements, contact the Bureau of Safe Drinking Water at (609) 292-5550 or via email at [watersupply@dep.nj.gov](mailto:watersupply@dep.nj.gov). Additional public notification guidance, including templates, are available on the Division of Water Supply and Geoscience's website at <https://www.nj.gov/dep/watersupply/dws-sampreg.html>.

Optional Signage 1:

# DO NOT DRINK



# SAFE FOR HANDWASHING



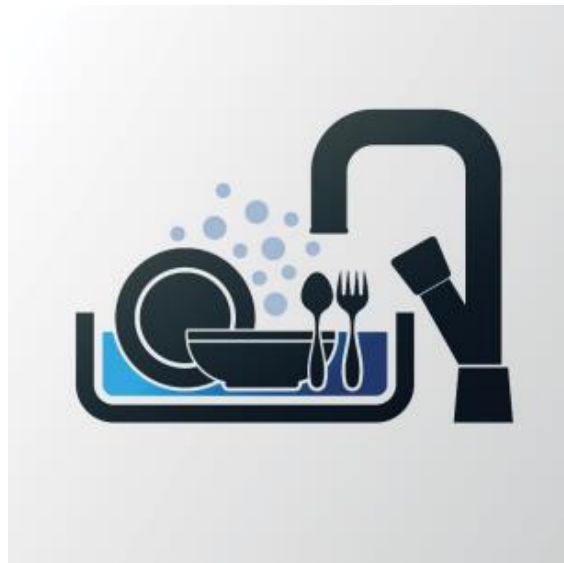
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Optional Signage 2:

# DO NOT DRINK THIS SINK IS FOR DISHWASHING ONLY



**This tap is not to be used for other human consumptive uses, such as drinking, cooking, and making baby formula.**



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Optional Signage 3:

# HOW TO BOIL WATER DURING A BOIL WATER ADVISORY



Heat the water until bubbles come from the bottom of the pot to the top.



Boil for 1 minute.



Turn off heat and let the water cool.



Pour the water into a clean container with a cover for storage.

For more information on how to safely consume water during a boil water advisory, visit [state.nj.us/dep/watersupply/pdf/faq-customers.pdf](http://state.nj.us/dep/watersupply/pdf/faq-customers.pdf).



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